

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. When will the Pan-American College of Commerce open? **A.** This school, under the special patronage of the Republic of Panama, will open on January 1, 1923, in the city of Panama. Its inauguration will mark the quadricentennial anniversary of the founding of the city. The college is designed to train the youth of the two continents, North and South America, in practical courses in commerce, shipping, banking and international trade relations generally. Two complete six-month courses of instruction have been outlined.

Q. Are wild animals scarce during open season for hunting, or do they merely seem so? **A.** The department of agriculture says that wild animals seem to know where they can find protection. In places where there are game canaries, wild creatures have to them at the beginning of every open hunting season.

Q. Did Germany have to replace the shipping destroyed at Scapa Flow? **A.** The reparations committee has decided that Germany must deliver 12,000 tons of shipping to the allies as compensation for sinking of the German fleet in Scapa Flow.

Q. What are the dimensions of the capital building in Washington, D. C.? **A.** The capital measures 121x236 feet. The central rotunda has a diameter of 87 feet, a height of 110 feet and, including the dome, is 133 feet high.

Q. What languages are spoken in Switzerland? **A.** The principal languages spoken in Switzerland are German and French, and newspapers are published in both. The census of 1915 showed that German was spoken by the majority of the people.

Q. What do land turtles live on? **A.** Land turtles feed on vegetables, mushrooms and wild fruits. They will sometimes eat eggs and snails. If kept in captivity, they may be fed bread and vegetables.

Q. Who discovered the process of making condensed milk? **A.** The process of making condensed milk was invented by an American, Gail Borden, and was patented in 1856.

Q. Is any gold being made into money at present? **A.** The treasury department says that \$15 and \$20 gold pieces have been minted during the present year.

Q. Are negroes admitted in West Point and Annapolis? **A.** The government army and navy schools do admit negroes.

Q. Where is the largest peach orchard in the country? **A.** W. L. H. H.

Q. The department of agriculture says that the largest single peach orchard of which they have record is one located in southwestern Arkansas. This orchard consists of over 2000 unbroken acres and an additional tract of land covering 1600 acres nearby, all under the same management.

Q. What is the highest speed ever made by an automobile and who was the driver? **A.** H. C. B.

Q. Tommy Milton, in a Duesenberg racer, made a record of 128.84 miles per hour at the 1920 Indianapolis 500-mile speedway classic at Indianapolis, Ind.

Q. Is it true that Bush first taught the use of the thumb in piano playing? **A.** H.

A. The system of fingering on a piano, which was customary in the time of Bach, hardly ever employed the thumb and the little finger, and was found to be inadequate for the performance of the works of this composer. He, therefore, devised for himself a new system of fingering, which made possible the usual use and development of all fingers and thereby laid the foundation for the modern school.

Q. A says that when a man is court-martialed he is sentenced to be shot; when he is not sentenced to be shot he is only tried by a court-martial. Is this correct? **A.** D.

A. The war department says that the fact that a man is court-martialed means that he is tried by a military court, and does not mean that he must of necessity be sentenced to be shot.

Q. How many states allow voting by mail? **A.** There are 23 states which, under certain conditions, permit voters to vote by mail. Each state makes its own regulations in regard to this.

Q. Are "paperball" peacocks a particular variety? **A.** H.

A. The department of agriculture says that the term was not originally applied to any particular variety, but to those types of peacocks having such thin shells that they could be cracked by crushing them together in the hand.

Q. In recent years, the term has been used to indicate cultivated varieties, many of which have as hard shells as the ordinary wild ones.

Q. Why are kings, queens and knaves called court cards? **A.** D. O. H.

A. This term is a corruption of "court cards," a card bearing a colored figure, such as king, queen or knave of playing cards.

Q. What was the Indian's name who peered for the head of the butterfly? **A.** H.

A. "Two Gun White Caps," peered for this head, which was designed by James H. Fraser.

Q. Was the month ever divided into weeks of 10 days? **A.** M. O. R.

A. The calendar of the French republic had such a week. Each month of 30 days was divided into three decades, the third, or decad, was the day of rest. The Republican year

numbered 10 decades. The remaining five-in leap years six-days were set apart as holidays at the end of the year.

Q. Is there a masculine form of the "debutante"? **A.** M.

A. The masculine form is "debutant" and is used in France to signify an actor who is making his first appearance on the stage or first appearance in a particular theater.

Q. How long has Harvard played football with Princeton? **A.** L. L.

A. The first games were played between these colleges in 1877. In all 23 games have been played, Harvard winning 8, Princeton 12, and 3 being tie games.

Q. How are sewing silks numbered? **A.** H.

A. Thread made from silk is called silk or twist, and the finest thread of this kind is lettered 600, the next

who were trying to master the English language.

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Q. Are many American school children corresponding with French school children? **A.** M. W.

A. At the close of the last school year 18,000 American children who were studying French were corresponding with an equal number of French and Belgian young people.

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